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The Tale of a Cat.

Let others sing of loftier themes,
Of purring brooks and winding streams,
And with poetic fire awake
High sounding strains on moor and brake.

But I to sorrow's sad refrain
Would sweep my lute this once again,
And with a tender touch impart
My own sad throbs to every heart.

'Tis of a purring puss I'd sing,
No meowing, prowling, thieving thing,
But gentle, loving, calm, serene,
A lovelier puss none e'er had seen.

But all her virtues could not save
The stern decree of tyrant fate,
Her virtues could not turn aside
The fateful blow of death's dark tide.

While walking out one gloomy night
As was her custom, in good plight,
Some heartless dogs, a thieving pack,
Going their rounds, fell on her track,

And e'er she had time to explain
They pounced on her with might and main,
And bit and chawed and chawed and bit
Until she'd got the worst of it.

And e'er the morning dawned again
She lay upon the cold ground, slain.
She fit them long and fit them well,
And vowed her life she'd dearly sell.

But claws and teeth could naught avail
Against such odds. Her last sad wail
She breathed out on the passing gale;
And all who heard it must agree
It was a sad cat-as-trophe.

Picnics will soon be all the rage.

Kill the howling South Side dogs.

The streets and alleys need cleaning.

There is great danger in bathing in the river at this season. Sore eyes result from it.

Charity Lodge, No. 3, U. B. O. F., will celebrate its seventeenth anniversary in this city next Thursday.

The drowning Tuesday is another warning to mothers who allow their children to play about the river.

There is some prospect of having some fine excursions up the river this summer. The "S. V. Pence" will do the work.

An excursion train will be run from this city to Indianapolis, Ind., July 31. Fare for round trip, \$4 25; to Louisville and return, \$1 75.

South Frankfort is a lovely place and quite a favorite resort for evening walks. But it is a pity that it should be infested with howling, snarling, snapping curs that scream and yelp at every passer-by.

The temperance people of Kentucky will hold a State Mass Convention at Park Hill Camp Ground, commencing July 13th and continuing several days. Park Hill is a lovely place, situated on the Licking river, at the crossing of the Lexington and Maysville railroad. It is expected to be the largest temperance gathering ever assembled in the State. The most prominent speakers in the United States will be present.

Playing Boss.

We were sitting in our office the other morning, thinking how nice it was to be boss—that was before we needed copy—and wondering how long before the editor's weekly offerings would put in an appearance, when there came a gentle tapping at our office door. Upon investigation it proved to be a small boy with a note for the editor. It read thus:

"Mr editor please Put it in yor nex paper Thet miss Alviry gones Tomkens Wer to our hous this Week N O R."

We thanked the s. b., and told him we would gladly make the announcement.

We turned to our morning paper and were trying to solve the Chicago problem, when we heard the rustling of female garments upon the steps. We hastily smoothed our "knotted and combined locks" (cat-fashion, when she washes her face), posed ourselves in a graceful writing attitude, and begun making phonetic characters at a rapid rate, "Are the gentlemen in?" she said, as she stood in the doorway, sweetly smiling and the fairest being that e'er our eyes had beheld—so we thought at the moment. We assured her that they were, and bade her enter and be seated. But she remained standing, and said, "where are they?" In a very crest-fallen manner we explained that the proprietors were absent this week, and we were in charge and could attend to any business she might have with the office.

"Jim," she said, turning to a diminutive colored boy, standing in the background with a huge waiter upon his head, "take that ice cream and cake over and give it to Johnston Todd, with my compliments, and give that largest bouquet to Logan McKee, with my regards," and she left our presence without another word. Then it was, as we sadly watched that large waiter of edibles and flowers going across the street to two good-looking young men, that we thought her positively ugly.

We picked up our paper once more, wondering what it was in our appearance that denoted that we were not a gentleman, and not fond of ice cream and flowers. We tried to drown our sorrow by reading an account of a little boy who had died from eating too much ice cream and cake at a birthday dinner, and had about succeeded, when a stout colored woman, with a large basket on her arm, the top of which was covered over with a snow-white cloth, entered and asked, "is de boss in?" We thought we would play it sharp, and replied, no, but he would be in directly; that she could leave anything she might have for him and we would deliver it as soon as he came. She said, "I'll jes wait; I's come arter dat little bill he owes me fur washin'," and she seated herself in a way that meant she had come after that "little bill," and was going to wait for it. We paid it, and went down and locked the door, concluding that if we were cut out for an editor we were spoiled in the cutting, and 'twas no use trying to make things fit us.

A den of young minks was raided and destroyed by some boys at Herndon's wharf yesterday.

Messrs. J. W. Payne and Chap. Todd have occupied their new residences, South Side, this week.

Mr. B. F. Meek is repainting and otherwise improving the appearance of his jewelry store, on Main street.

Fast riding on the streets of the city is a violation of the law. The law applies as much to one person as to another.

What do our city dads think of having the crossing over Main street, in front of the post-office, raised? It needs it badly.

McClure & Bro. kindly furnish a seat under their awning for country girls to sit while they eat their lunch of ginger bread and peanuts.

Nevermore do "we boys" want to take the place of the bosses. Here we have been editing this paper a whole week, and not a theatre, not a circus, not a concert, not a festival not a free ticket to anything. No one has sent us a free drink, a free cigar, or a vegetable curiosity of any kind. When we edit this paper again we want a week when there will be plenty of theatres, circuses, etc. We don't want any free drinks or cigars, but if any pretty young lady wants to send us a bouquet, it will be gladly received.

Sunday-School Reports.

Report of the Christian Sunday-school:
Number of officers, teachers, and pupils enrolled May 1st. 201
Highest attendance during month. . . 173
Lowest attendance during month. . . 152
Average attendance during month. . . 166
Teachers absent during month. . . . 4
Average collection during month. . . \$3 15
New scholars received during month. . 17
Visitors during month. 48
Teachers' Meeting every Friday evening.
Hour of holding Sunday School, 9 A. M.
Visitors to the school always welcome.
LEE A. OWEN, Sec'y.

Report of the Episcopal Sunday-school:
Number of officers, teachers, and pupils enrolled May 1st. 181
Highest attendance during month. . . 121
Lowest attendance during month. . . 96
Average attendance during month. . . 115
Teachers absent during month. . . . 7
Average collection during month. . . \$2 35
New scholars received during month. . 30
Visitors during month. 10
Hour of holding Sunday-school, 9 A. M.
Visitors cordially received.
JOHN N. HUTCHISON, Sec'y.

Report of the Methodist Sunday-school:
Number of officers, teachers, and pupils enrolled May 1st. 120
Highest attendance during month. . . 104
Lowest attendance during month. . . 80
Average attendance during month. . . 96
Teachers absent during month. . . . 6
Average collection during month. . . \$0 90
New scholars received during month. . 6
Visitors during month. 37
Hour of holding Sunday School, 2 P. M.
Visitors always welcome.
WESLEY WRIGHT, Sec'y.

NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of John R. Graham are hereby notified to present same properly proven for payment; and all persons owing said estate must come promptly and settle to avoid litigation.

M. E. GRAHAM, Administrator.
June 1st, 1880. 1m

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AUCTIONEERING !

Having had a number of years experience at the business, I offer my services to the citizens of Franklin county as an Auctioneer, and will sell stock on the street, household goods, or do general farm auctioneering. Orders left at the store of Mr. V. Berberich or the stable of Dan. Hancock will receive prompt attention. Charges moderate.
J. J. PETERSON.
39. tf.

S. F. SMITH, M. D., Physician and Surgeon,

Office and Residence, Mansion House Block, St. Clair Street,

FRANKFORT, KY.

Apr. 26-1y.

WEEKLY ROUNDABOUT.

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FRANKFORT, JUNE 12, 1880.

If your ROUNDABOUT is marked on the first page with a red **X** it indicates that your subscription has expired and must be renewed before you receive another paper.

The editors, proprietors and publishers of the ROUNDABOUT have gone away—some are junketing about the country with the press gang, and some have turned inquisitive Jacks, going about asking people all manner of foolish questions, such as, "how old are you? are you married? where did your father come from? are you a house-keeper or a loafer?" etc.—and left us office arabs to run this paper, and we purpose to run it—run it on high points. We don't intend to hurt anybody's feelings; we don't intend to show up contractors, or tell any manufacturer that he behaves naughtily, or flavors his merchandise with rats. Gentlemen(?) who violate the Sunday Law by selling liquor, or shop-keepers who pull down their blinds, unlock their doors and sell their goods and wares on the Sabbath day are not worthy of our notice, and we pass them by without a word. We are not going to intimate that we have heard of men who retail rum without a retail license; for if we did the Grand Jury would make us tell on them, and then G. J. would tell on us, and we would have to be "responsible." It might be fun for our readers, but we don't banker after notoriety in that way. We will try to make an interesting paper without "pitching in" to anybody, and if we fail, we crave the indulgence of our friends, and beg them to remember that the "editor's chair" is entirely too large for us and that we do the best we can under the circumstances.

Personal.

Mrs. T. M. Turner left Thursday morning for Virginia.

Miss Ida Marshall is quite ill at her home in South Frankfort.

Miss Todd Saffell is visiting friends in the Falls City for a few weeks.

Mr. Ben. Marshall, of Louisville, is in the city spending a few days.

Mr. Burt. Rodman, of Rock Island, Ill., is visiting relatives in the city.

Mr. Wm. Long, of Nashville, Tenn., was in the city the first of the week.

Capt. John H. Todd U. S. A., and wife are visiting relatives in this city.

Misses Rebecca Averill and Annie Bull are visiting relatives in Danville.

Mr. Dudley Watson left for a visit to friends in Richmond last Saturday.

Miss Linda Triplett of this county, is visiting relatives on the South Side.

Dr. B. T. Wood, of Lebanon, has been visiting friends in the city this week.

Mrs. Frank Hughes left Monday afternoon for Mt. Sterling to visit relatives.

Our esteemed and worthy young friend Jake Evans, has a position as night guard at the penitentiary.

Mrs. Mary Tutt, of Henderson, is spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. John Marshall, South Side.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Haydon, Louisville, came up last Saturday and remained till Monday with friends in this city.

Mrs. Agnes H. McClure will leave for Hopkinsville next Wednesday to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Kelly.

Mrs. Wm. McGinnis and her little daughter, Stella, left this week to visit relatives in Pennsylvania. She will be absent several months.

Our enterprising Bridgeport correspondent, "Bug," paid us a pleasant visit Thursday. Always glad to see our correspondents. Call often, ladies and gentlemen.

T. B. Demaree, Grand Worthy Chief Templar of I. O. G. T. of Kentucky, and editor of the Good Templars' Advocate, spent several days in the city with friends this week.

Mrs. George Buhr, who was so unfortunate as to have a limb broken in Louisville several weeks ago, returned home this week, but had to be carried from the car to a carriage, not being able to walk.

John Milam and Charley McKee refuse to be comforted. They mourn as men without hope. Cheer up, boys, and look at the beauty and loveliness all around you that may be won by a brave heart.

Miss Mary Ward and her beautiful little sister, Myra, who have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. Walter Franklin, South Side, for several weeks, returned to their home in Atlanta, Ga., last Saturday.

Mrs. Herndon, mother-in-law of Mr. W. J. Chinn, was stricken with paralysis last week, one side becoming entirely useless. She has been very ill, but hopes are entertained of her ultimate recovery.

Col. J. Stoddard Johnston and wife, Miss Mamie Johnston, Mr. D. C. Barrett, Miss Florence Barrett, and Mr. George A. Lewis and wife left this city Tuesday morning to attend the meeting of the Kentucky Press Association which met at Ashland Wednesday morning.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CITY MARSHAL.

We are authorized to announce THOS. J. TODD as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Marshal, at the ensuing August election.

DIED.

In South Frankfort, on the 9th inst., Mrs. MARY P. EPPERSON.

BORN.

In South Frankfort, on the 5th inst., to the wife of R. W. Hulett, a son.

MARRIED.

In Eminence, on the 2d inst., by Elder W. S. Giltner, JOSEPH T. BEES, Esq., of Eminence, and Miss NANNIE BASKETT, of Henry county.

In Eminence, on the 24 inst., by Elder W. S. Giltner, ALBERT P. CAMPER, M. D., of N. W. York, and Miss BETTIE COLEMAN, of Henry county.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals for the construction of the abutments, wing walls, and approaches of the new Belle Point bridge, at the mouth of Benson will be received by the undersigned until JUNE 19, 1880. Bids to be given for the work as a whole. Plans and specifications by D. M. Woodson, Superintendent, can be seen at the office of J. G. Crockett. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids. Bond, with good security, will be required of the successful bidder.

R. A. THOMSON,
S. M. TINSLEY,
P. McDONALD, Commissioners.
FRANKFORT, KY., JUNE 7, 1880.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.

A light roan Durham Heifer, two years old and very fat. Last seen at J. Robinson's gate, on Louisville turnpike, Friday evening, June 4. A liberal reward will be paid for her return, or thanks for any information in regard to her.

JOHN JENKINS.
BRIDGEPORT, June 10, 1880.

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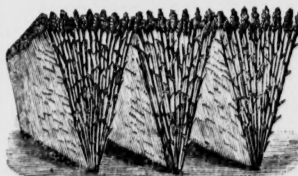
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WEEKLY ROUNDABOUT.

FRANKFORT, JUNE 2, 1880.

LARGEST CIRCULATION IN CITY AND COUNTY.

TO TRAVELERS.

On and after April 28th, 1879, trains on the L. & L. R. R. will leave Frankfort daily (Sundays excepted) as follows:

TRAINS WEST.

No. 4. Leave Frankfort.....8:15 a. m.
No. 12. Leave Frankfort.....2:30 p. m.

TRAINS EAST.

No. 9. Leave Frankfort.....9:04 a. m.
No. 11. Leave Frankfort.....5:43 p. m.
The 2:30 P. M. train will make close connection, as formerly, for Cincinnati.

R. P. BRYAN, Agent.

Flax is almost an epidemic in this locality

Blackberries and chigoes will be plentiful this year.

Nearly every street in this city terminates at the river.

The Public School will close its session next week.

Numerous weddings are in prospect. So say the gossipers.

The mercury has been floating around in the nineties this week.

Our people are patiently waiting for that park with Gratz seats.

The Capital Gazette will appear daily on or about June 21st. We wish it success.

Frankfort now has three young printers who are contemplating making lawyers of themselves.

The trial of Tom Buford for the murder of Judge Elliott will take place at Owenton next month.

Squire John Jenkins, of Bridgeport, has lost a light roan Durham heifer. Read his advertisement.

Aunt Matilla Howard, a colored woman living in Crawfish Bottom, is one hundred years old. Her youngest child is now sixty years of age.

A reunion of the old soldiers of the war of 1812 will take place at Paris, on the 18th of July. They will be entertained by the citizens of that city.

The attention of contractors is directed to the advertisement of the Commissioners of the Belle Point bridge, which appears in another column of this paper.

A young lady of this city addressed a note to "Rev. Mugs, Esq. V.L.C.," when she wanted him to call. Another begins with "Jakey, my dear," and the boys answer in person.

The Court of Claims last Saturday awarded the contract for the erection of an iron bridge across the mouth of Benson to the King Iron Bridge and Manufacturing Company, of Cleveland, Ohio. It is to be 190 feet span, with a four-foot sidewalk, and sixteen-foot roadway, and will cost \$6,750. The approaches are to be constructed at once, and it is expected to have them ready for the bridge by the first of September. Mr. D. M. Woodson will superintend the work.

Moonlight nights again.

A steamboat excursion up the river these pretty nights would pay.

Our lovely cemetery is a favorite place of resort on Sunday afternoons.

Electricity will strike the next man that pokes his head in at the door to inquire if this is hot enough for us

Mr. Charles Haydon has sold his beautiful residence on Third street, South Frankfort, to Mr. Chas. C. Furr, for \$3,600.

School commencements are being held all over the State, and the usual number of lawyers, doctors, etc., are being turned out.

Mr. Nat. Richardson has removed to his handsome new brick cottage, on the corner of Shelby and Campbell streets, South Frankfort.

Hon. Fountain Fox Bobbitt enlightened the barbarians of this vicinity with one of his characteristic speeches at the court-house Monday afternoon.

Frankfort is making rapid strides, and will soon be a city. A city park, custom house, free bridge, streets named, etc. All we need is to have the houses numbered.

Some of our citizens will have to celebrate the glorious Fourth in Owenton, as they have been summoned to appear there on the first of July as witnesses in the Tom Buford case.

Foresters meet in regular session next Wednesday evening at eight o'clock. An election of officers will take place at that time, and a full attendance of the members is desired.

There is an ugly hole in the floor of the foot bridge on Conway street, near the corner of Third, South Side, that should be repaired before some one gets a limb broken in it

The enforcement of the Sunday Law seems to have been spasmodic. Surely our highly intelligent City Council cannot misconstrue the Gathright law. The people demand its enforcement.

At a meeting of the McCreary Guards Monday night, the following commissioned officers were elected: W. G. Thompson Captain; H. B. Phythian, 1st Lieutenant; J. L. Price, 2d Lieutenant.

There are more beautiful drives around Frankfort than any place in the State. The majority of the eight 'pikes' leading from the city are smooth as a floor, and the scenery cannot be surpassed.

South Frankfort is a flourishing part of the city. A number of handsome residences are being built, nice building lots are changing hands, and the outlook for its future growth and prosperity is quite favorable. A number of grocery stores, two livery stables, several blacksmith shops, and a first-class drug store are all doing a good business. The one thing badly needed is a first-class dry goods store. A large brick store-room, well located and eminently adapted for that purpose, can be had on reasonable terms, and it is a matter of wonder that some live man has not discovered the bonanza there is in such an enterprise and scooped it in ere this.

The Governor's mansion is receiving a new shingle roof.

The Good Templars will meet at their hall, in Old Fellows' Temple, next Thursday evening at eight o'clock. There will be several initiations, and business of importance brought before the meeting. A full attendance of the members is desired.

Mr. S. V. Pence's saw-mill boat, the "Kentucky River Accommodation," made a trial trip up the river last Sunday afternoon, and showed that she could travel at a good rate of speed. Quite a number of men and boys took in the pleasure of this free ride.

There are ten saw-mills in and near Frankfort, all of which are doing a rushing business. There is room and natural advantages here for manufactories of all kinds, and we hope the day is not far distant when Frankfort will be the liveliest town in Kentucky.

"Cheek" has been known to accomplish a great many things in this world. It did last Sunday night in the case of a young gentleman of this city, who asked a young lady if he could see her home, and when she told him no, went anyway. They parted as friends

The Belle Point Christian Temperance Union will hold a meeting at Belle Point Chapel to-morrow at four o'clock, p. m. Good speakers will be present. The President, Mr. Alex. Robinson, extends a cordial invitation to the people of Frankfort to be present. Let there be a large delegation from this side of the river.

Two very lovely South Side damsels—two among the loveliest of that realm of lovely damsels—have a system of calling that they call "back door calls." They don't go around to the front door, ring the bell, and send their cards in on a silver waiter—not a bit of it. All they do is to go through the alley, through the back yard into the kitchen, and scream for each other like they wanted to see them, and wanted to bad, and they generally succeed, too.

Those dogs that howl all night in South Frankfort should receive the attention of the police. Ordinance 1, section 7 says:

Any person who shall permit on his premises, within the city, any loud and frequent or continued barking, howling or yelping, of any animal of the dog kind, so as to annoy and disturb any neighbors, shall, for every twelve hours such annoyance shall continue, after one day's notice by the Marshal, be liable to a fine of not exceeding ten dollars.

LOCAL NOTICES.

A Circulating Library for sale at a bargain. Will sell whole library or separate volumes, and will offer our books for rent until sold. Catalogue and price furnished on application to Marshall & Meagher.

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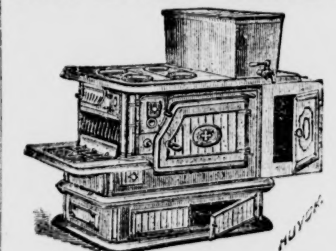


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FRANKFORT, KY.
Jan. 1-11.

WEEKLY ROUNDABOUT.

Peaches are in the market.

There is a young lady on the South Side who can add up three columns of figures and play an organ at the same time, and do both correctly.

The annual return of the "gallinippers" at the wooden bridge has taken place. In a few nights they will swarm around the gas-lights there by the billion.

The finder of a pearl shell, about as large as the end of a man's finger, will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office. The shell was lost Monday.

White Capt. Sanford Goin was coming down the river path from the cemetery, last Sunday afternoon, he lost his footing and fell, dislocating his right shoulder.

The excursion train which passed here Thursday morning, bound for Louisville, had eleven coaches crowded with people. Frankfort pleasure-seekers filled one of them.

Mr. Ben. Marshall met with an accident in Louisville this week. One of his hands was caught in the roller of a paper mill, cutting the extreme ends of two of his fingers off.

Dr. U. V. Williams has located in this city for the purpose of practicing his profession. His residence is on Cross street, between Conway and Steele, South Side—the residence formerly occupied by Mr. M. E. Jett.

Fighting is bad at best, but when two persons jump on one poor little fellow, we feel like remonstrating. Sometimes no damage is done beyond torn clothing or aching heads, but the principle is bad all the same.

Two little colored boys, Ike and Jake Becker, were playing on the pontoon bridge at the mouth of Benson, last Tuesday, when Jake accidentally fell into the water and was drowned before assistance could reach him.

There will be a dancing picnic in Mr. R. B. Lewis' woods, on the Frankfort and Flat Creek Turnpike, just beyond Antioch Church, next Saturday, 19th inst., at which a splendid time and good music is promised by the managers, Messrs. Peter Updyke and Henry Finzel. No liquor will be allowed on the grounds.

The Gazette, of last Thursday, said that the "nice young man and the devil" were running the Roundabout office this week. Now, Brother Ben, you should have known better than that. This office was never troubled with such a nuisance as a devil. We are all nice young men—at least that is what the girls tell us.

Our ladies find great pleasure in covering fans, and some of them display a great deal of taste and skill in doing that kind of work. A small fan nicely covered with satin or silk of different hues, is very pretty to look at, but when you try to keep cool with them, you find that they are more ornamental than useful. They are too heavy, too clumsy, or too something—any way there is no wind about them.

Roll of honor of Dudley Institute for the month ending June 4th, 1880:

THOSE STANDING 98 AND ABOVE.

Sallie Duvall, Nannie Fitzhugh,
Belle Hensley, Antoinette Lindsey,
Alma Scofield, Katie Sproule,
Minnie Williams.

THOSE STANDING ABOVE 95 AND LESS THAN 98.

Sallie Byrns, Bacon Blanton,
Louis Harris, Salina Harris,
Fayette Hewitt, Ella Hutchison,
Walker Stephens, Annie Duvall,
Florie Williams, Pattie Williams,
Myda Zimmerman.

Bridgeport.

Mulberries are ripe.

Miss Martha Crutcher is very ill.

Large strings of fish are caught daily in the creek.

The long-looked-for wedding comes off next Tuesday.

Will., why do you go to Spencer so often, especially Mundy?

Bruce, why do you look so dejected? She will be back again.

Mr. Ben. Bradley, of Champagne, Ill., is visiting relatives near here.

Mr. A. C. Taylor, who has been very sick for the past week, is improving.

Prof. Shinn has added much to the appearance of his residence by erecting a veranda.

Mr. James Russell has commenced building his new residence. Bridgeport will soon be as pretty as ever. Bug.

If ever household affections and loves are graceful things, they are graceful in the poor. The ties that bind the wealthy and the proud to home may be forged on earth, but those which link the poor man to his humble hearth are of the truer metal and bear the stamp of heaven. The man of high descent may love the halls and lands of his inheritance as a part of himself; as trophies of his birth and power; his associations with them are associations of pride and wealth and triumph; the poor man's attachment to the tenement he holds, which strangers have held before, and may tomorrow occupy again, as a worthier root, struck deep into a purer soil. His household gods are of flesh and blood, with no alloy of silver, gold, or precious stones; he has no property but in the affections of his own heart; and when they endure bare floors and walls, despite of rags and toil and scanty fare, that man has his love of home from God, and his rude hut becomes a solemn place.

Oh! if those who rule the destinies of nations would but remember this—it they would but think how hard it is for the very poor to have engendered in their hearts, that love of home from which all domestic virtues spring, when they live in dense and squalid masses where social decency is lost, or rather never found,—if they would but turn aside from the wide thoroughfares and great houses, and strive to improve the wretched dwellings in the by-ways where only Poverty may walk,—many low roofs would point more truly to the sky, than the loftiest steeple that now rears proudly up from the midst of guilt and crime, and horrible disease, to mock them by its contrast. In hollow voices from work-house, hospital, and jail, its truth is preached from day to day, and has been proclaimed for years.—Dickens.

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